Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 13 Dec 2020 until 23:59 on Monday 14 Dec 2020

Forecast Issued on Sunday 13 Dec 2020 at 02:13

Confidence: High confidence for the beginning of the period but lower confidence in the forecast from Wednesday.

Headline for Sunday 13 Dec 2020: A wet start with rain spreading east, and persisting for much of the day. Windy

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 13 Dec 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy rain showers (night)	Heavy rain showers (night)
Precipitation probability					
60%	80%	80%	70%	40%	30%

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Weather: A wet start with rain moving east across the Brecon Beacons during the morning. Rain will be heavy at times and quite persistent for much of the day. This perhaps clearing to give some brief late afternoon brighter spells in the west, although further heavy and blustery showers follow during the evening and overnight.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: Near 0% for much of the day with tops above 500m shrouded in cloud, and some patches down to 400m in the west. Improving to 30% by late-afternoon, with broken cloud at 600m.

Visibility: Visibility will be moderate but become quite poor in heavier rain in the middle of the day. In general navigation will be tricky at height.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	33/43 S	33/43 S	29/38 S	27/37 SW	28/39 SW	26/37 SW	27/39 S
300	13/32 S	24/47 S	16/35 S	17/35 SW	16/36 SW	15/34 SW	17/36 SW
Valley	5/14 E	13/37 S	13/33 S	14/33 SW	13/33 SW	13/33 SW	15/36 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	3/-4	5/-2	8/3	8/4	8/2	7/2	6/0
300	5/1	7/2	10/6	10/7	9/6	9/5	8/4
Valley	4/2	7/4	10/8	11/8	10/7	9/6	9/5
Freezing Level*	2300m	2500m	2500m	2200m	1600m	1500m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling cold, however, with the rain and strong winds. Gales widely at height, especially across higher tops, with gusts of around 60mph possible above 800m. This bringing the potential for being blown over.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Sun 13 Dec 2020	0.8mm	7.2mm	13.6mm

Forecast for Monday 14 Dec 2020

Weather: Frequent, heavy and blustery showers through the day. These perhaps aligning to give persistent rain across some western hills. The best of any drier or brighter intervals in the east.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 40mph gust 45-55mph at first, easing to Southerly 20-25mph gust 40-45mph by midday.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 60%, although scattered cloud shrouding tops above 600m at times, especially around more westerly hills

Visibility: Mainly moderate or good but becoming poor at times in rain.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 8 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 3 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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